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**MEMORANDUM FOR COMMANDERS, DEFENSE CONTRACT MANAGEMENT
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SUBJECT: DCMC Memorandum 96-92, On-Time Delivery Policy (POLICY)

This is an **POLICY** memorandum. It expires April 1, 1997. Target audience: All DCMC Employees.

The recent merger of Defense Electronic Supply Center (DESC) and Defense Supply Center Columbus (DSCC) has generated a backlog of administrative work in all buying divisions at the Center. The Center Commander, RADM Elliot, has requested Defense Contract Management Command (DCMC) assist his buyers by temporarily suspending the provisions of the on-time delivery policy whereby Quality Assurance Representatives withhold acceptance of delinquent shipments until authorized to accept by a Contacting Officer.

We are honoring RADM Elliot's request. Until April 1, 1997, all shipments on DESC/DSCC contracts shall be accepted regardless of delinquent status. Please do not call buyers for authorization to accept late deliveries. This moratorium should not preclude the issuance of corrective action requests to contractors in instances of failure to manage their production systems. On April 1, 1997, enforcement of the on-time delivery policy will resume for DESC/DSCC contracts. This exemption applies only to the contracts specified.

Questions concerning this memorandum may be referred to Mr. Ron O'Daniell, Product & Manufacturing Assurance Team (AQOG), at (703) 767-3365.

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